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U. S. ROBBERS ROOST SAYS SENATOR

Wall Street Melon Patches Warmed by the Sun of Privilege, Fertilized by the Sweat of Labor and Watered by the Tears of Poverty—Sugar Trust Robbing American Housewives.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—"The United States has become a robbers' roost," Senator Capper, Republican, Kansas, declared in a prepared address today in the Senate, in which he scored profiteering, and declared that if the law enforcement officers of the government could not enforce the laws they ould resign, and let the man who can take their places.

Declaring that the proof of profiteering was in the margin of profit, the senator said that in one year alone during the war the gross income of American corporations rose from 35 1-2 billions to 84 1-2 billions. He read to the Senate a long list of corporations whose profits were placed at anywhere from 20 to 200 per cent.

The senator said:

"Wall Street's melon patches continue to be warmed by the sun of privilege, fertilized by the perspiration of labor, and watered by the tears of poverty, and this year will raise a record-breaking crop free from the blight of income taxes, while the people are being urged to buy their coal early and be robbed of less; to abstain from steak one day a week, and to purchase war savings stamps that the United States may live in nine billion style on a six billion income.

"At this moment the most brazen challenge we have had in this saturnalia of greed comes from the gamblers in sugar. A corner has evidently been formed right under the eyes of the department of justice. The canning season raid is on. For years the sugar interests have annually and openly and shamelessly robbed American housewives."

WAR IS RAGING FOR OIL FIELDS

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Revolutionary forces under General Arnufolo Gomez and Mexican general troops under General Murgia are battling for possession of the Tampico oil fields, according to dispatches received today by General Salvador Alvarado, representative of the State of Sonora, who is now in Washington.

Unusual military activity centering at Monterey also was officially reported today.

From Chihuahua come reports that a large number of officers and

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BRAIN-STORM REMARKS

There are two sides to a problem—our side and the wrong side.

The black buzzard of H. C. L. hatched out a lot of strikes.

Capital and labor both suffer from the Red element.

Our Senate has shown more cowardice than Germany.

The congressional ouija board says higher prices.

"White shirt workers" have to work to get the shirts.

The Senate should negotiate a separate peace with itself.

One of the sugar kings worked for $1 a year—50c too much.

A soft answer and a soft drink are different.

England has Irish stew. We get congressional soup.

Next two months will crowd the barges up Salt River.

At present prices hunger will be here soon.

CLOTHING THIEF CONFESSES CRIME

A detailed confession of four robberies, including the burglary of the Smith & Crane clothing store here on April 12, when clothing valued at $4000 was taken, has been made by William Mitchell, according to the police, who have been grilling him since his arrest on the night of April 17, when he was followed to Richmond by Oakland police after having tried to dispose of some of the clothing in Oakland.

Prior to yesterday he had contended that he did not commit the burglary here but had bought the clothes from a man named Little, who had told him where to find them.

Mitchell said that when he arrived in Richmond he noticed the Smith & Crane store and the stock it carried, and decided to make a clean-up. He said he entered the store about 1 o'clock in the morning of April 13 and assembled the clothing in gunny sacks. He carried it out on his back, making several trips, and hid it beneath the feed mill on Sixteenth street and the paint shop on Twenty-first street, where it was later recovered.

The man is a dope fiend and booze hound and the local police think he will implicate others as soon as he gets fully sobered up.

In default of $5000 bail, fixed yesterday by Police Judge Odell, he is being held in the city jail.

Ouija Victims Out of Asylum

SACRAMENTO, April 24.—The last victim of the "ouijamania" epidemic which swept Contra Costa county last March have been pronounced "recovered" and released from state hospitals at Napa and Stockton, it was reported at the office of the state commission in lunacy today.

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INTERESTING NEWS 'ROUND THE BAY

Supreme Court Judge Melvin Suicides at Oakland—Saloon Man Pays for Protection—Teachers Refused a Union—More Jobs Than Men—Contra Costa Hills Club Hikes Today.

Associate Justice Henry A. Melvin of the California supreme court committed suicide yesterday by drowning himself in a bathtub at the Merritt hospital in Oakland. He had been suffering for several months and had developed a suicidal mania, having made several previous attempts to end his life.

Dr. Porter planned to take Justice Melvin on a trip into the mountains yesterday, hoping that several weeks in the open air would restore his health. Accordingly, the justice was told that he was to take a bath in preparation for the trip.

"All right," he said, and started for the bathroom.

The nurse followed. When Justice Melvin reached the door he gave a bound in, slammed the door and turned the key.

The nurse, who had been warned that a close watch would have to be kept on the patient, immediately raised a scream.

Several hospital attendants rushed to the door of the bathroom. It was decided to try the window. By the time an attendant could shatter the pane and crawl in Justice Melvin was dead, drowned.

TEACHERS DENIED UNION

The San Francisco department of education has put its foot down on the school teachers' union.

School teachers who are members of the San Francisco Federation of Teachers must get out of the federation or quit their positions.

A resolution to this effect was passed yesterday by the committee of the whole of the board of education.

CONTRA COSTA HILLS CLUB

OAKLAND, April 24.—Led by Gustavus Schneider, Berkeley's superintendent of recreation, the Contra Costa Hills Club will hike from the end of the Craigmont car line in North Berkeley to Wildcat canyon and Grizzly peak on return trip tomorrow, starting at 10 o'clock in the morning.

BOOZE MAN SHAKEN DOWN

Charges that Theodore Neimeyer and William Wolf, deputy sheriffs under Sheriff Thomas F. Finn, and "Jack" Birch, an automobile repair man, went into the saloon of Benedict J. Kathriner, 1123 Folsom street, San Francisco, and represented themselves to be agents of the internal revenue department were made yesterday by Kathriner following his arrest on the charge of selling intoxicating liquor in violation of the national prohibition law.

JOBS ARE PLENTIFUL

OAKLAND, April 24.—Four years ago considered a charitable organization, the United States em-

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MICKIE SAYS

HIGH JINKS BY ONE MINUTE GIRLS

The One Minute Girls are giving a jinks Monday night and inviting all the club members and others. The fun begins promptly at 8 o'clock and the program is as follows:

Famous Russian ballet.
Song, Gladys Rouse.
Recitation, Miriam Shea.
Violin solo, Andel Mansfield.
Piano solo, Margaret Carey.
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Ethel Lambrecht Sails For Orient

Miss Ethel Lambrecht, one of Richmond's popular and well known young ladies, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Lambrecht, sailed yesterday for Manila, on the steamship China, via Shanghai and Hong Kong. She expects to be absent one and possibly two years.

Miss Lambrecht has been employed by the government for some time past, and will enter federal employment at Manila, after visiting with friends and seeing the country for a month or so.

On the same ship is Mrs. Hamlon, a missionary, a friend of the family, and also Dr. Jackson, another friend, who is ship surgeon. Dr. Jackson sends a wireless to his wife at San Francisco every two days, which is phoned over here to the Lambrechts, which keeps them in constant touch with the daughter and friends.

Miss Ethel is proficient in clerical work and has made a good record. She will be about twenty-five days en route.

WILL RESIDE IN RICHMOND

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Houck have disposed of their property in Pinole and removed to Richmond, where Mr. Houck is employed at the Standard Oil works. The family resided here for a number of years and made many warm friends, who regret their departure.—Pinole Times.

COUNTY NEWS FROM LOCAL PAPERS

Bad Conditions Among Asparagus Workers—Six-Minute Ferry Running—Wine Grape Men Getting Rich—Fisheries Shipping — News and Comment From the County Press.

The Six-Minute auto ferry operates across Carquinez Straits between Morrow Cove, Solano county, and Valona, Contra Costa county. The boat carries sixty-five automobiles and makes the trip in less than six minutes. The boats run every half hour.

COMMIT MATRIMONY

Two well known young men of Concord, Frank Fischer and David Shade, slipped away to Oakland and claimed two Martinez young ladies as their brides. Miss Beatrice Teeple is now Mrs. Fischer and Miss Irene Denni is Mrs. Shade.—Concord Transcript.

TURNS OUT WELL

Oakley vineyardists, says report, are being offered $50 a ton for wine grapes! No wonder some growers were shouting for prohibition; they evidently knew something.—Byron Times.

THE FISH ARE BITING

Fishing was resumed in local waters last night, after a period of two weeks.

On account of the strike on the railroads and the consequent inability to get fish to the eastern markets the fishermen were compelled about a fortnight ago to cease fishing, and their boats have been tied up since that time.

Fred Hayes of the Booth Fisheries Co. reports the run of shad fair, and expects with a few warm days that the industry will reach normal for this season of the year.

Several carloads of fresh fish, iced and boxed, were sent out by the express company to the East before the tie-up on account of the strike. —Pittsburg Dispatch.

JACKASS IS LOCATED

There are all kinds of donkeys—good, bad and indifferent—but they are all queer looking animals, stupid and useless in these times of progress and lightning-like industrial activities. The donkey is not particular about what people think of him, as he makes no pretense of knowing anything—aside from braying. Antioch has one of these animals, if we do not misjudge the sound that came from that quarter. —Pittsburg Post.

BAD CONDITIONS

Alarming conditions among asparagus workers on Jersey and Bradford islandsw ere found yesterday by state and county school officials on a visit to those districts to investigate non-attendance of children in school, according to Antonio Reggiardo, county school attendance officer. One four-room house on Jersey island, Reggiardo announced today, was found to be the living quarters for twenty-five persons,

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A CANDY BOYCOTT TO CUT PRICE OF SUGAR

NEW YORK, April 24.—A month's boycott of candy, soda water and pastry was advocated today by Edwin J. O'Malley, city commissioner of public markets, to relieve the sugar shortage and bring down prices.

He said lack of sugar for home consumption was due primarily to enormous consumption by manufacturers who had obtained control of the supply.

DES MOINES, Ia., April 24.—Sugar was sold at 31 cents a pound retail today in many Des Moines stores. The retailers said they paid 29 cents a pound to the wholesaler.

ST. LOUIS, April 24.—Sugar today retailed for 30 cents a pound here.

ROTARY CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The new board of directors of the Rotary Club of Richmond has just named its new officers for the coming year, with Dr. C. L. Abbott as president, succeeding Joseph F. Brooks. Vice president, H. O. Lunceford; secretary, Harry Marcus; treasurer, Chas. J. Crary; sergeant-at-arms, C. C. Kratzer; directors, J. F. Brooks, E. H. Harlow and G. N. Rooker.

The following committees have been appointed.

Entertainment: Charles Renwick, chairman; F. LaMoine and J. Galvin.

Fellowship: A. Burdick, chairman; H. Pulse, P. Eberhart.

Public Affairs: E. Harlow, chairman; A. Campbell, H. Stiver.

Educational: W. T. Helms, chairman; F. LaMoine, T. DeLap.

Work among the boys: T. DeLap, chairman; O. Poulsen, J. C. Hitchcock.

Relations of international headquarters: H. Marcus, chairman; G. Penning, W. Fraser.

Publicity: J. F. Galvin, chairman; Wm. Fraser, Harry Marcus.

House: Chas. Crary, chairman; Fred b. LaMoine, Clark Kratzer.

Finance: E. M. Downer, chairman; Chas. Crary, Harry Pulse.

Soda Water Goes Up In Price

Owing to the high cost and scarcity of sugar, in connection with the high cost for all kinds of help, the soda water manufacturers have been compelled to advance the price of soda water to $1.20 a case of twenty-five bottles. This will make soda water sell at 3 cents.

FIREMEN SAVE CITY DADS' LIVES

Ball Game Won by City Council Against Chamber of Commerce, 10 to 7, But They Had to Get the Firemen to Help 'Em Do It—Mayor Long, Zeb Knott and Lou Schroeder Thown in Jail.

It was a spectacular game of ball that was played yesterday afternoon for the benefit of the Near East Relief Fund. The city council team won from the Chamber of Commerce team by a score of 10 to . It was some game, and hotly contested throughout, especially in the first part of the second inning, when Mayor Jim resented Zeb Knott's insinuations that the council had agreed to buy Umpire Harry Marcus a cornucopia for giving the council boys a shade in the decisions. The two tangled up and a grand free-for-all was on. Three of the city's finest, augmented by Chief Wood, finally bundled the main disturbers, Lou Schroeder, Jim Long and Zeb Knott, into the patrol wagon and took them to the cooler. Fortunately the trio escaped from the calaboose in time to resume the game, but Lou Schroeder kicked up such a commotion that one of the officers was obliged to use three blank cartridges to make him behave.

The game didn't start off on time on account of some miscreant "hooking" Otto Ludewig's plug hat. But it was finally recovered by Wilbur Pierce hafing a writ of replevin issued and served on Dan Reardon, who had the silk tile hidden under the grandstand. After the recovery of the hat, a kiddy-car race was run and Percy Neal outdistanced his field, leaving Harry Marcus at the barrier. Quite a jolly was given Percy when his wife cried out: "Goody, Percy, I told you you would win if you practiced up."

The Municipal band played and a ... afternoon was spent by all who attended. The cause was a good one and everybody should turn out for such future events.

Leading the way to the big sports carnival a parade headed by the Municipal band, followed by Mayor Long and other prominent citizens in kiddy-cars, marchers with plug hats, high school girls in yama yama suits and the fire department, proceeded down Macdonald avenue at 2:30 o'clock.

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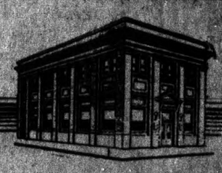

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A DRY WET GOVERNOR

The press agents of Governor Edwards of New Jersey are now picturing the governor as a total abstainer from intoxicating liquor. In reality, they say, he is a prohibitionist, but he is fighting the eighteenth amendment because he believes it infringes the rights of the states and takes away individual liberty.

The governor's claim to being a teetotaler may be truthful enough, but it is a poor sort of prohibitionist that goes the limit in trying to provide booze for everybody else. There is not much to be said for the man who recognizes the evil in something and then lends his influence to the propagation of that evil, for any motive whatever.

But dry states are not unfamiliar with the Edwards type. Here in California, when the struggle was on to free the state from the grip of the liquor interests, we found men in the legislature, in other state offices and in political conventions who professed to be "lifelong pros," but who nevertheless were always standing around ready to pull the chestnuts out of the fire for the antis, at so much per chestnut.

THE PUBLIC LOSES AS USUAL

The outstanding feature of the settlement of the coal controversy is that the public is the principal loser.

The miners and operators have ratified a contract embodying the award of the President's commission providing for a 27 per cent wage increase, which assures that the miners get not what they asked for, but probably as much as they expected in the beginning of the strike to get.

At the same time, the mine operators announce that the price of coal will be boosted from 65 cents to $1.50 per ton over present prices at the mines, which assures the mine owners practically enough increase to absorb the increase in wages.

After six months of negotiating, in which much talk about vital principles was indulged in, the simple truth of the whole matter is that the miners demanded and received higher wages, and the coal companies, as usual, are passing the increase on to the public.

Inasmuch as the public is to foot the bill, anyway, the whole trouble might have been settled in a few days, and the expense and delay in the extensive and high sounding negotiations eliminated.

A CRIME OF GOVERNMENT

There are about 20,000 Indians in the State of California, all that are left of more than 200,000 who roamed the hunting grounds a little more than half a century ago. They are the visual reminders of governmental neglect, the survivors of the eighteen tribes who took the white man's word at face value and learned to regret. Since 1852 they have been the custodians of a pledge which has not been fulfilled, a promise which will forever remain an indictment of government immorality, red tape methods and bureaucratic lack of soul.

On May 28, 1852, President Fillmore sent eighteen Indian treaties to the United States Senate for ratification and the tribes in California agreed to keep the peace, to cede their rights to land, to forswear their allegiance to feathered chieftains, and to accept in certain reservations about 7,500,000 acres of land worth then about $9,500,000. The government in turn was to pay the Indians money and goods to the amount of $1,800,000, to preserve in perpetuity use of certain reservations, to provide schools and other buildings, and to provide instructors in farming, blacksmithing, woodwork, etc. This was a Senate treaty of Indian reservations and the Senate proved an Indian giver.

When the pacts were laid before the Senate ratification was denied, but with the provision that the action should be kept secret. The Indians believed the matter settled, gave up their lands, and waited for Uncle Sam to keep his promises. They have been waiting through neglect and disease and starvation and plague and until there are but a few of them left.—Oakland Tribune.

THINKOGRAPHS

The Boston Globe reports that 34,000 Bibles were sold in Massachusetts during 1919. There ought to have been more than that, judging by the way the spinners and shoe manufacturers have been bleeding the country.

The government is trying to make it hard for men to dodge the income tax, but they will nevertheless keep on keeping on. Of course, the effort and talent exhausted in dodging might, if properly directed, pay the public debt in a few years, but we are human.

Tenancy in Illinois has progressed to the point where 60 per cent of the farms are cultivated by tenants. Democrats and Republicans will demonstrate their capacity to kill Socialism in the measure that they remove the deadly blight of tenancy from American agriculture.

The Turks say their enemies are slandering them. Surely they are mistaken. We haven't heard anybody call them anything worse than a scrofulous herd of red-handed assassins and lecherous and lustful beasts. That struck us as rather complimentary, in view of the record of the brutes.

And then if Germany were to join the League of Nations and join with England, France, Italy, Russia and Japan in a trade agreement, after a modification of the treaty of Versailles—well, that would be interesting for the isolated nation.

Replying to the inquisitive subscriber, we will say, yes. We know exactly what the President thinks of the Senate and its treatment of the treaty. We have read his mind. But we can't print it, because paper is exceedingly combustible and we don't print cuss words, anyhow.

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Irish mirth and melody will be dispensed by Morrison and Clifton, who have some of the latest comedy songs and stories from the Emerald Isle.

Another feature of the bill will be Sadie Sherman, a classy entertainer from the Marcus Loewe circuit.

A comedy shooting act is presented by Cactus and Prarie, a couple of dry denizens of the desert.

Bob Mallon will entertain with jazzy songs, and the program will be completed by Crane Wilbur in a screen production of "Breezy Jim" and a Pathe News reel.

Mrs. Myrtle A. Stiver, candidate for school trustee, has been a resident of Richmond for twelve years. She has seen Richmond grow from a small town to its present proportions, has been identified with its growth and development and has always been active in movements for the improvement of the community and in the growth of community spirit and pride. In a word, she is an able representative of the numbers of active, public-spirited, intelligent women of our community. Let us recognize their right to representation.

Firemen Save City Dads' Lives

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It created considerable merriment. The editor of The News went out to the grounds, with a Civil war musket borrowed from Prof. Zumwalt especially for the occasion, looking for the heavy villain who presides over the Independent, but he was nowhere to be found. He was afraid to show up, because he knew we would blow him clear over the breastworks, also the ball fence.

Some of the councilmen got cold feet and pressed into service a number of the firemen who know something about playing ball; otherwise the Chamber of Commerce bunch would have skinned them alive. The firemen saved their lives.

There was a large attendance and the income for the Armenians will probably net quite a tidy sum. The One Minute girls sold goodies, and thus helped swell the fund.

The relief committee will make a report on the receipts as soon as the same are gathered in and figured.

'Round the Bay News

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ployment bureau is now one of the necessities of business operation, according to a statement issued today by Helen Powers, in charge of the Oakland branch office. In the last ten months the Oakland branch has placed 25,000 men and women in positions and has had 34,454 requests from employers for men.

Among the Churches

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Twelfth and Bissell. Henry Kendall Sanborne, minister. A. H. Poage, superintendent of Sunday school. Mrs. C. S. Gibson, choir director. Mrs. William Banton, organist.

9:45 a. m., Sunday school. 11 a. m., morning worship; subject, "A Successful Building Enterprise." Anthem, "If Ye Love Me Keep My Commandments." 3:30 p. m., Junior Endeavor. 6:30 p. m., Senior and Intermediate C. E. Topic, "Christian Principles in Personal and Public Health." 7:30 p. m., song service. Dr. Benjamin Davison, a recently returned missionary, will speak on some of the conditions of life in India and Ceylon. Anthem, "I Will Call Upon Thee." In the afternoon between 2 o'clock and 5 o'clock a New Era canvass will be made. Wednesday evening, 7:30, prayer meeting, Bible study and teacher training class. Friday evening, 8 o'clock, Professor Earl Linsley of Mills College, will give the ast lecture in the series under the auspices of the Men's Bible rlass. Subject of the lecture is "Comets" and it will be profusely illustrated. The church extends a cordial welcome to everyone.

WESLEY METHODIST CHURCH

(The church of the cordial welcome.) Paul Little, minister. W. C. Roberts, Sunday school superintendent. Prof. J. P. Dillon, musical director. Miss Irma St. John, pianist.

9:45 a. m., church school. 11 a. m., morning worship. Subject, "A Stormed Kingdom." The pastor is to preach to the high school cadets at their cantonment at 9 a. m., but will return in time to hold his services at 11 o'clock. 6:30 p. m., Epworth League; Miss Katherine Frymire, leader. 7:30 p. m., evening worship; topic, "A Rhnaway Tongue." This is the second in the series on the "Runaways." As a prelude to his evening sermon the pastor will answer the following questions: Is it a fact that Christ turned water into wine? Can a man get booze in Richmond, if so, where? Do you think if possible for an honest man to succeed in business? How young should girls marry? What is love? Does not Admiral Sims' testimony confirm the general belief of the incompetency of Secretary Daniels? What do you think of the New York legislature who ousted the five newly elected socialist members? Has the church derived any lesson from the world war? At this church the services always begin on time. A competent reception committee will welcome you at the vestibule of the church.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Church school will be held in Bank hall at 9:30 a. m. and evening service at 7:45, with church school in Trinity church at 10 a. m. with morning prayer at 11 and evening service in Bank hall at 7:45.

Monday: A special meeting of Trinity Guild will be held at Mrs. Coleman's, 418 Golden Gate avenue, at 2 p. m.

Tuesday: The Women's Auxiliary to Missions will meet in the church parlor at 2 p. m. An address will be given by Mrs. Lance and the first talk given on "Our Neighbors," by Mrs. Royston. Every member of the Guild and others interested in missions should try to attend this meeting.

Wednesday: Saint Edmunds church Junior Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Fenix at 3:30.

Thursday: Saint Edmunds Church Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. O. T. Miller, 128 Third street, at 2 p. m. Trinity Juniors will meet at 3:30. The Boys' Club at the corner of Fourth and Bissell at 7:30 and choir practice in the church at 7:30. The flowers will be cared for by Mrs. Hadlow. Rev. H. Blake Hadlow, rector.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

Richmond Club, Nevin avenue at Twelfth street. Services Sunday at 11 and 8. Meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend. Christian Science reading room, Pillow building, Macdonald avenue at Seventh street. Open afternoons from 1:30 to 4:30 and Saturday evenings from 7 to 9. The public is cordially invited to attend our services and visit our reading room.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, RICHMOND

C. H. Berry, pastor. Sunday Sunday school at 9:45. Come and see who won the first race. It will be announced at the close of the school. The pastor will preach from Revelations Sunday morning. Theme, "7 Stars, 7 Candlesticks, 7 Churches. Preaching again at 7:30 p. m. Theme, "Nuts for Church Members to Crack." This subject should be heard by all church members in Richmond. Young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m. Come and join with us in the lesson. This church is preparing to have a great "Mother's Day." The pastor will preach a special sermon to mothers at the morning hour. Every mother of this city who can, ought to hear it. Special music at all services. Mrs. Kleinkauf will preside at the piano. All are welcome.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Thos. A. Boyer, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45. Bible class lesson, "Ruth." Church service at 11: special music; sermon topic, "Marred." Evening service at 7:30; topic, "Religion." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45. Devotional, subject, "Unexpected Life." There will be a discussion on the "blue overall and fingham" fad, led by Mrs. Galinor. Rev. A. Bahnsen will officiate during the absence of Dr. Boyer.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, SAN PABLO

Ford Kitchel, minister. "The progressive Churih." Sunday school, 10 a. m. Services 11 a. m. Pastor's topic, "Resistance." Special music by choir. Evening services, 7:15 p. m. Sermon by pastor. At the evening service reports will be received from our committee in charge of the canvass in connection with the Interchurch World Movement. Come and hear the announcement that San Pablo is the first church in the county to go over the top.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Moose hall. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Lesson. "The Golden Calf." Church services will be held in the afternoon at the Christian church at 2:30 o'clock. Sermon topic, John 16:16-30. Do not miss these afternoon services. A. Bahnsen, pastor.

EAST RICHMOND CHURCH

Advent Christian. Corner Roosevelt avenue and Twentieth street. J. J. Schaumburg, editor Messiah's Advocate, officiating pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Y. P. S. L. W., 7 p. m. You are invited to all services.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Corner of Richmond avenue and Martina. S. J. Hocking, pastor.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor.

EL CERRITO METHODIST

Richmond street. Wilmer E. Coffman, minister. Sunday school, 10:15 a. m.; preaching and worship, 11:15 a. m. No service after Sunday school on March 28. Easter service April 4.

OUR LADY OF MERCY CHURCH

Rev. Father Peter Doyle, pastor, Richmond avenue. Services tomorrow morning at 7 and 9 a. m. Sunday school under direction of Sisters.

ST. MARK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. P. M. Griffin, pastor; Rev. O'Hea, assistant. Bissell avenue and Tenth street. Services this morning at 7, 8:30 and 10:30 o'clock. Sunday school under direction of Presentation Sisters immediately after the 8:30 o'clock mass. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, SAN PABLO

Rev. Joseph Porta, pastor. 7:30 a. m., confessions; 8:30 a. m., mass with sermon in English. Sunday school after mass. 10:30 o'clock a. m., mass with sermon in English. Benedict at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school every Wednesday afternoon from 2 until 4:30 o'clock.

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In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Contra Costa.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Henry Price, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of John Henry Price, deceased, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash in gold coin of the United States, subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on or after Monday, the 10th day of May, 1920, all the right, title, interest and estate of said deceased of, in and to the following described real property, to-wit:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots Fifteen (15), Sixteen (16), Thirty (30) and Thirty-one (31) in Block One (1) as delineated upon that certain map entitled "Map of the BELVEDERE TRACT, Point Richmond," being a portion of Lot No. 78 of the final partition of the San Pablo Rancho, Contra Costa County, Calif. Recorded on the 9th day of February, 1904, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Contra Costa, State of California.

Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining. Terms and conditions of sale, cash in gold coin of the United States; ten (10%) per cent of purchase price to be paid at the time of sale and the remainder on confirmation of sale by said Superior Court; deed and abstract at the expense of purchaser. Bids and offers must be in writing and may be left at the offices of J. E. Rodgers and A. F. Bray, Attorneys at Law, Byron Brown Building, Martinez, California, or may be filed in the office of the County Clerk of the above entitled Superior Court at any time after the publication of this notice and before the making of said sale.

Dated April 22, 1920.

CHARLES E. DALEY,
As Administrator of the Estate of John Henry Price, Deceased.
J. E. RODGERS and A. F. BRAY,
Martinez, California, Attorneys for Administrator.

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$4500—5 room modern house; lot and 1-2; with garage; on Bissell Ave.; a fine home; about half cash.

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Local Laconics Of Richmondites

Attorney Alvarado was a Martinez visitor yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clear left yesterday for a week-end trip to Watsonville.

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Mrs. Bibby and daughter Hazel have been visiting friends at Newman but are home in Richmond again.

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Mrs. Martha Schumaker, 226 Nevin avenue, departs today for a two weeks' visit at Fresno, with her daughter, Mrs. Thrane, and other relatives and friends.

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County taxes will be delinquent on Monday evening at 6 o'clock. The office of County Tax Collector Joost will be open until 6 o'clock Monday to receive the second installment.

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Mrs. A. M. Gibbs has purchased the rooming house on Eighth street near Macdonald known as the Shafter House, paying therefor a goodly price.

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Mrs. E. W. O'Brien entertained the Home Club at her home, 611 Twelfth street, with bridge whist Friday afternoon. The winners were: Mrs. U. S. Abbott, Mrs. J. Brooks and Mrs. H. C. Adair.

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James T. Narbett of Richmond has been named by the board of trustees of the Lafayette school as architect to prepare plans and specifications for the district's new school building.

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A new automobile concern was launched yesterday when Harry Curry and Charles O. Russell signed a ten year lease for the one-story garage building to be erected at the northwest corner of Macdonald avenue and Thirteenth street by James McMullen.

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Under the direction of the Women's Irish Educational League of San Francisco, an entertainment was given at Lincoln Auditorium last evening. Major L. S. O'Toole, brilliant San Franciscan, who recently returned from service with the American army in France, delivered an address.

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J. J. Lumsden, Jr., and Mrs. Jessie Russon were married yesterday in Oakland, Judge Smith performing the ceremony. Lumsden is one of the popular firemen of Richmond, and last night some of his associates made merry at the family home, 607 Ninth street. May the happy couple have no troubles other than little ones.

The Thistle Club, composed of members of the Rebekah lodges, has secured Bank Hall for a masquerade ball on next Thursday evening.

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The many friends of Mrs. Frank A. Scholes will be sorry to learn that she is confined to Craven hospital, where she underwent a capital operation.

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L. Barnett was granted a permit for the construction of a brick oven in the old Bank bar on Macdonald avenue, between Seventh and Eighth streets, at a cost of $400.

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A permit to alter a brick building on Macdonald avenue, between Second and Third streets for a bath house, was granted yesterday by the building inspector to Frank Koenig.

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Mrs. Martha Chandler, district deputy, made her official visit to the Acantha Chapter at their meeting in Masonic Hall Friday night. The work was exemplified and followed by a banquet.

TELEGRAPH

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men stationed at Vera Cruz had rebelled on April 21 and joined the anti-Carranza movement.

WILSON WINS IN FIUME CASE

SAN REMO, April 24.—Premier Nitti of Italy and Anton Trumbitch, the Jugo-Slav foreign minister, have accepted President Wilson's settlement of the Adriatic problem making Fiume a buffer state, with no contiguity of territory between Fiume and Italy.

JOHNSON LEADING IN PRIMARIES

HELENA, Mont., April 24.—Senator Hiram Johnson of California increased his lead over his Republican opponents for the presidential endorsement in the Montana state primaries yesterday, as further meager returns were received today.

U. S. RECOGNIZES ARMENIAN REPUBLIC

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Armenia was formally recognized today as an independent republic by the United States.

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R. R. RATES MUST BE ADJUSTED

Dean of the Wharton School of Finance on the Need of Good Railroad Credit.

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National Authority on Railroad Transportation Says Roads Must Be Self-Supporting or Become Bankrupt.

In an address on "The Railroad Puzzle," delivered in Philadelphia, January 3, Dr. Emory R. Johnson, dean of the Wharton School of Finance, and one of the nation's leading authorities on railroad transportation, declared that "after the first of March the companies must be self-supporting or become bankrupt." Continuing, he said:

"Can the railroads be successfully financed and operated when they are returned to their owners? For two years the government has drawn upon the public treasury to sustain the credit of carriers.

"If the carriers avoid failure their income must cover operating expenses, maintenance and capital charges; if the companies succeed to the extent that is demanded in public interest, they must not only be able to meet unavoidable expenses, they must have some surplus revenue.

"If there is no income to be used in part for betterments and in part for building up a surplus or reserve fund, the public will not invest in the railroads, their credit cannot be re-established and maintained and corporate ownership and operation of the railways will fail.

"The income of the carriers is determined by public regulation, and properly so; but from this it follows that the country must decide between a policy of adequate revenues to the railroad corporations of the future and a policy of government ownership.

"The government is entitled to credit for having given greater unity to railroad operation, both line and terminal. It has done much that the carriers were prohibited from doing. The public now realize that co-operation of the carriers in the joint use of equipment and terminals should be encouraged, instead of prevented.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MAPS YEARS' WORK

The board of trustees of the Presbyterian church has sent out a letter to its members, outlining its work past and for the current year, in which they say, in part, as follows:

"Our church has completed another year—one of the best in our history. Thirty-nine united with the church and in the past six months over 100 were added to our Sunday school. All the current expenses were promptly met and for the New Era budget $960 was asked, and we went 35 per cent over the top and stood fourth in our presbytery.

"It was a splendid year, through God's grace and bounty, and this year ahead, with His help, we must make further advance. For current expenses we need $3000, and should also raise $1000 additional toward the building fund.

"The New Era budget, which includes practically all of our benevolences through the church, Ladies' Missionary Society and Sunday school, calls for $2150.

"This seems a large sum. It is—but we can raise it. At least we can do our best toward reaching the goal and we will if each one does their part."

Many Are Going To Concord Today

Many county people plan attending the big celebration to be held at Concord today to dedicate the 300-acre aviation field of the California Aerial Transport Company and to commemorate the successful flight of the passenger liner "Avion" between Concord and Los Angeles.

Speech making, an aerial circus and free rides in the giant plane will be the attractions. Several of the smaller machines now being shown at the aeronautical show in San Francisco will be flown to Concord and will stage maneuvers with the big passenger plane. The free rides will be given spectators on a lot drawing.

Members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Methodist church will entertain with their monthly tea on next Wednesday at the home of Mrs. W. C. Roberts, 700 Seventh street.

Warren McBryde Talks On Sugar Situation

The price of refined cane sugar yesterday was advanced $5.20 per hundred pounds by the California and Hawaiian Sugar Refining Company of Crockett, the price to the trade thus rising from $15.30 per hundred pounds, declared on April 7, to $20.50 per hundred pounds.

This advance was set on a new allotment of the sugar. A leading jobber will turn over his allocation of this allotment, at a net margin of $1 per hundred pounds, his price being set for 21 7-10 cents a pound.

Retailers' profits have been ranging around 2 cents a pound. Therefore it is anticipated that past custom being followed, the retailer will now demand about 24 1-2 cents a pound.

Uncle Sam is trying to beat the high cost of living—at least as far as sugar is concerned. The government bought nearly 7,000,000 pounds of raw sugar at Manila and has brought it to California to be refined. It is expected that about 2 cents a pound will be saved by this method. The transport Logan brought 1,500,000 pounds and the Thomas over 5,000,000 pounds. The sugar is being taken to the plant of the California-Hawaiian Company to be refined. Government chemists are analyzing the sugar today.

Warren H. McBryde, secretary of the board of directors of the California-Hawaiian Sugar Refining Company, was in Richmond yesterday, giving the Hoover boom a boost, and stated that at present there was no decrease in the price of sugar in sight.

"The beet sugar crop will be coming in soon," he declared, "and this may aid the situation to some extent."

McBryde declared that at the present time the Crockett refinery is running to full capacity, but that the demand has been increasing and the supply of raw sugar is not available.

"The sale of the large Cuban supply of raw sugar to Europe has cut down the amount obtainable in the United States," he declared. "At the present time the usual supply of beet sugar which has formerly been produced in Europe is not on the market owing to the lack of farming and Europe is securing its supply almost entirely from the Cuban plantations which formerly supplied the United States."

McBryde declared the wavering market was unavoidable but that the law of supply and demand will eventually stabilize the price again.

Many Criminal Cases Before the Courts

O. Pagni, who was arrested in Antioch several weeks ago on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon, appeared before Judge A. B. McKenzie yesterday and requested that his former plea of guilty be withdrawn. He has already asked for probation. The matter was continued for one week.

John B. Marvel of Danville, who is facing a statutory charge, appeared before the court. His case was continued one week and Attorneys W. H. Hanlon and A. F. Bray were named by the court to act as his counsel.

Roy Yates, who was arrested following the alleged burglarizing of a home in El Cerrito several weeks ago, appeared before the court and pleaded not guilty as charged. His bail was set at $1000, in default of which he was returned to the custody of the sheriff. Attorney T. H. DeLap is his counsel and the case has been set for trial June 10.

Harry Giannini of Crockett, who was arrested two weeks ago charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor, following his alleged marriage to Miss Helen Sirowasky, the minor daughter of Mrs. Steven Sirowasky of Valona, in Santa Rosa, was held to answer to the superior court by Justice of the Peace Ray Standish of Crockett yesterday. His bail was set at $500.

Marriage Annulment

Alleging that he had an erstwhile wife residing in England at the time he married her, from whom he had not taken the trouble to secure a legal separation, Eva Constance Jones Hutson of Crockett filed suit for the annulment of her marriage to William Hutson in the superior court yesterday.

The complaint alleges that the plaintiff married the defendant on the fifth of April this year, believing at the time that he was free to wed. On he ninth of April, the plaintiff avers, she learned that he had a wife whom she believes is residing in England, and consequently asks that the marriage be annuled.

Jailed for Assault

Manuel Lasada of Crockett was brought to the county jail by Constable J. J. Fox of that place, charged with assault with a deadly weapon. It is alleged that he had an altercation with an acquaintance and cut him with a knife. The other man is not reported to be injured seriously.

Many Divorces

One divorce granted and three new divorce actions filed was the record established yesterday. Jacob Michael of Rodeo was awarded an interlocutory decree of divorce by Superior Judge A. B. McKenzie from Esther Michael and was awarded custody of their two minor children.

The new divorce actions filed were:

W. E. Greene vs. Emma B. Greene, by Attorney T. D. Johnston.

Annie M. Mora vs. John F. Mora, by Attorney H. J. Wildgrubbe.

John P. McDougal vs. Helen J. McDougal, by Attorney Hiram E. Jacobs.

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ten of them children. All are Spaniards.

On Jersey island approximately thirty children of school age were found to be working in the asparagus fields, Reggiardo announced, and their parents were warned to place them in schools or prosecution would follow. On Bradford island another thirty children were found but no school is available for them to attend.—Martinez Standard.

BLACKMAILER IN JAIL

Tuesday, April 27, has been set as the date for the hearing of A. C. Mahrtens who was arrested Thursday for sending an alleged threatening note to Mrs. Alice Follett of this city. He was arraigned before Justice of the Peace F. L. Glass on Friday and his bail was set at $500 in default of which he was returned to the custody of the sheriff.—Martinez Gazette.

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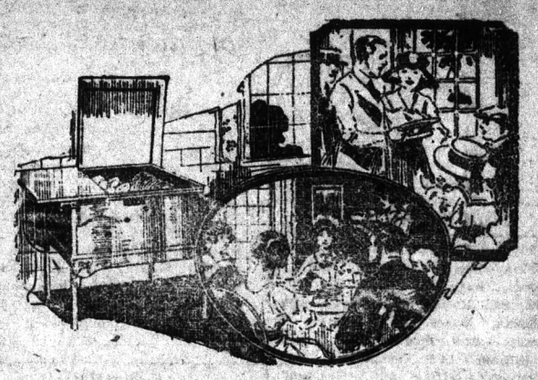

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